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In re application of:

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Dear Sir:

Please find enclosed the following documents relating to the subject patent application:

- [X] Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated August 17, 2001;
- [X] Signed Declaration For Patent Application;
- X] Recordation of Assignment Cover Sheet;
- [X] Signed Assignment of Patent Application;
- [X] Petition for Extension of Time;
- [X] Return Postcard;
- [X] Letter to Official Draftsperson; and,
- [X] 7 sheets (Figures 1, 2, 3A 3B, 4A, 4B, and 5

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filling a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
 - To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
 - The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be in dark ink (not pencil), except where color drawings or photographs are permitted. 9894475

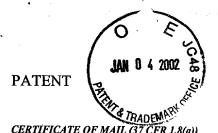
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LETTER TO OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

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Sir:

Please find enclosed seven (7) sheets of formal drawings, consisting of Figs. 1, 2, 3A, 3B, 4A, 4B, and 5 to replace the informal drawings previously filed with the application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee associated with the filing of the enclosed formal drawings (or credit any overpayment thereof) to counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782 (Order No. 8032987, SEA 2987; a duplicate of this transmittal is provided.

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